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Summer Players Return Thursday

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PLAYERS INCORPORATED, "National Repertory Company," will appear in Moliere's farce, "The School for Wives," at 8:15 P.M., on Tuesday, February 26, in Austin Hall. John Swift is General Chairman in charge of arrangements for the Knights and Knaves who are sponsoring the presentation.

TO TOUR 32,000 MILES

The Players new season began October 5 in Baltimore, Maryland. Before May 21, 1952, they will have covered 32,000 miles and have toured thirty-seven states, Japan, and Canada.

The 15 actors who make up PLAYERS INCORPORATED are all graduates of the Speech and Drama Department of Catholic University, Washington, D.C. Each actor has had from five to 10 years of professional theatre experience, and was selected for the current tour because of outstanding dramatic ability.

KERR DIRECTOR

This is the third annual tour undertaken by this National Repertory Company which was the resident stock company here last summer. In addition to "School for Wives" which local audiences will see, PLAYERS INCORPORATED have also included Shakespeare's effervescent comedy, "Twelfth Night," in this season's repertoire. Both productions have been directed by Walter Kerr, author, *Herald Tribune* drama critic and director of the recent Broadway and London hit, "Touch and Go."

One of the foremost theatrical groups in the country today, PLAYERS INCORPORATED was founded with the belief that the laughter and tears of professional theatre need not be confined to the New York area. During their past two road tours, the troupe has appeared before high school and college students, before professional people and office workers, before miners, ranchers, and farmers. . . before people who had never seen theatre before as well as for those who were well-seasoned theatre goers.

WARMLY RECEIVED

On each occasion, they have been warmly received by enthusiastic audiences, and have managed to win the critical acclaim of hard-bitten drama critics in major cities such as Philadelphia, Chicago, Milwaukee, Dallas, Houston, Minneapolis, and Washington, D.C.

Student tickets are only 75 cents.

LATE NEWS

Moiya Darragh, Diana Shane and Pat Barnett who won many fans at the St. Michael's Playhouse last summer will be back on campus Tuesday night, February 26, when Players Incorporated, the national repertory company, presents "The School for Wives."

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FORMER SM PROF. DIES SUDDENLY

Professor Wellington E. Aiken, noted scholar and professor of both St. Michael's and the University of Vermont, died suddenly last Sunday evening in the Waterman building of the University.

Prof. Aiken was 75 years of age and had been in teaching for 50 years until the time of his retirement from St. Michael's in 1950.

Born in Benson, N.Y., Prof. Aiken, in his early youth, attended Troy Conference Academy, and in 1901 was graduated from the University of Vermont with *Cum Laude* honors. He began his teaching career at the Mount Herman School for Boys in Northfield, Mass., in 1902. In 1912, Prof. Aiken returned to Burlington, and to the University as a member of the English Department.



Professor Emeritus
W. E. Aiken

After his retirement from U.V.M. in 1945, Prof. Aiken continued his professorship at St. Michael's until 1950. He was still known as a professor emeritus of St. Michael's until the time of his death. On the occasion of his retirement from St. Michael's, Fr. Lyons paid special tribute to the professor for his great work in "helping St. Michael's to grow." Prof. Aiken donated many of his books to the college library, and gave the speech at the senior banquet in 1950.

Prof. Aiken spent his last hours in the company of Dr. Jeremiah K. Durick of St. Michael's. They had been working all Sunday afternoon on papers for the "Green Mountain Troubadour," the publication of the Vermont Poetry Society, of which both men were active members.

Dr. Durick was an honorary pall-bearer at the funeral services on Tuesday afternoon, at which many of the students and faculty members of both schools were present.

CONCERT MONDAY

The next Community Concert in Burlington will be Monday night, February 25, at 8 p.m. Cesare Siepi, the leading Metropolitan Opera basso, will be the soloist. The concert has been moved up to 8 because Siepi must catch a train back to New York where he will sing the following night at the "Met."

First Military Ball Is Huge Success



Cadet Lt. Col. Combs, Lt. Doe, Faculty and Cadet directors of first annual Military Ball.

The first annual Air Force ROTC military Ball was held last night in Austin hall for all St. Michael's Cadets. The custom which has been handed down from the past was carried out successfully in true military fashion under the direction of Lt. William Doe and Cadet Lt. Col. Eugene Combs, amid the shadows of the snow covered campus of St. Michael's. "Nothing is stronger than custom," was an adage readily proven as the Cadets set a strong precedent with the Ball which will be carried through in the years to come.

As they entered the hall the Cadets presented their dates to the receiving line made up of Very Reverend Daniel P. Lyons, College President, Lt. Col. and Mrs. J. R. Kingston; Lt. and Mrs. W. W. Doe; and Cadet Lt. Col. Eugene Combs and Miss Joyce Picone of Torrington, Conn.

-Air Force Theme-

The theme of the Ball was expressed in the decorations, under the direction of Cadet Capt. Alfred Sette. Every item was representative of some aspect of the Air Force. The stage was adorned in the style of an aircraft hanger, the center being draped with a large American flag and flanked on either side by the St. Michael's banner and Stars and Stripes. In the middle of the ceiling was a large revolving crystal ball.

Entertainment for the evening, handled by Cadet Major James Lally, was supplied by Bill Cofrances and the Arabian Knights with songs by Lorraine Cofrances.

Refreshments were served during the evening in the College Snack Bar. The red, white and blue theme was carried through there also. The refreshment committee was headed by Cadet Lt. Robert Jarvis.

Date Bureau

Cadet Capt. John McSweeney and Cadet Capt. John Carroll handled publicity for the Ball. Among other things they inaugurated their own private date bureau to accommodate "dateless" Cadets.

Following customary military tradition, the feature of the evening was the Grand March, lead by the Cadet officers, and the honorary Lt. Col. "Queen of the Ball," followed by her four attendants.

Invited guests of honor for the Ball included: Very Reverend Daniel P. Lyons, S.S.E., Very Reverend Jeremiah T. Purtil S.S.E., Rev. Lorenzo D'Agostino S.S.E., Rev. Gerald Dupont S.S.E., Mr. and Mrs. Bart F. Garrity, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. John Buchan, Mr. and Mrs. John Donoghue, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ansheles, Mayor and Mrs. J. Edward Moran, Mayor and Mrs. Thomas Fitzgerald, Col. and Mrs. J. S. Sauer, Major and Mrs. G. W. Gray, Col. and Mrs. Earl H. Jacobsen, Major and Mrs. K. D. Hill, Lt. Cmdr. and Mrs. Albert Dekin, Capt. and Mrs. Claude W. Johnson, Capt. and Mrs. Nicholas C. Mazzola, and Lt. Col. and Mrs. Richard B. Spear.

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PROM WEEKEND TO BE MAY 2-4

The announcement has been made, that the annual Junior prom will take place this year on the weekend of May 2, 3, 4. Plans for the entire weekend are not complete as yet, but there will be a parade of Horribles and a skit contest again this year, if they meet with the approval of the committee. There will be four skits in all, of about 15 minutes duration each.

Every class president should see to it that his class is represented, as there will be a trophy for the winning class. All skits should be type-written and handed in to Joe Amipani, Ryan 204, before leaving for Easter vacation.

The committee will read the script and then there will be an audition immediately after returning from vacation. The auditions are being staged for the first time this year so that there will be no recurrence of the "ad-lib" performances of a year ago. If any of the auditions be "negative," that skit will be discarded and that class or classes will not be represented. It is up to the class presidents to have a skit written, and to start the casting.

The "plays" are to be 15 minutes (app) in length and must be satirical about a UNIVERSAL subject that may be understood by all, not only by the students, but by their dates as well.

FR. DUFORD'S MASS PLAN

Fr. Duford has announced that he will give a prize to any SENIOR or group of SENIORS suggesting the best plan for increasing attendance at daily Mass. Any one who has an idea on how this mission may be accomplished may give it to Fr. Duford in the Alumni office in Old Hall, thence, upon carrying out the plan, may collect his "prize" if the plan is successful.



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An Editorial

In the Delta Epsilon Sigma lecture by Dr. Connolly of Fordham University, we were reminded that truths frequently wither in the mind when not re-affirmed afresh.

To some of those present on this occasion his words made little impression of any lasting value. This was no doubt due to the fact that said students were unwilling to hear beyond the very surface of his words.

Admittedly, Dr. Connolly was not delivering an undergraduate type lecture and it would not be reasonable to expect everyone to grasp all the numerous analogies and literary references which he used to illustrate his thoughts. However, it was not impossible for the average student to follow the train of his lecture and thus learn and re-learn a great deal.

Some students by their attitudes and comments on the lecture betrayed themselves as hopeless philistines. More important however is the fact that these attitudes served to throw light on one of the sub-topics treated by the professor; namely the deplorable lack of student ability to think.

Our world today is rapidly approaching the time when man-thinking will be one of the precious relics of a former civilization. We have already reached the stage of having to persuade the college student to think by simplifying and occasionally eliminating some of the more unpleasant avenues of this process.

Broad conceptualizations and particular facts are fed to the college student periodically over a period of years in the hope that they will become integrated in his mind. Eventually this process should become unnecessary. A mental growth is achieved by the mastery of said conceptualizations and their correct integration with related facts.

The student is then theoretically able to proceed on his own. He is able to understand a work, say of literature, as a whole and on different levels in direct proportion to his mental growth.

The unfortunate drawback of this method is that it is never necessary for the student to understand the concepts, but merely to commit them to memory along with certain given facts. That student is not rare who has achieved a good grade in literature or history by the sheer power of memory. The truly unfortunate part is that such students fail to admit, even to themselves, that they do not understand that particular portion of literature or phase of history intimately with all its implications. They have committed the error of their age, mistaking the symbol of the achievement for the achievement.

We have heard the key turn, but whether it is locking or unlocking the door is relative to the individual himself. If you are and intend to stay bound by the commercial value of bare facts, you are locked in the prison of intellectual mediocrity from which few men escape.

In later years we may look back on some of the truths stated by Dr. Connolly, they will be as the: "footsteps" that: "echo in the memory down the passage which we did not take....."

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BLOODMOBILE HERE MAR. 10

The Student Council announced this week that on March 10, in Austin Hall there will be another drawing of blood on campus. Arrangements have not been completed as yet, however all minors must have permission from their parent or guardian before giving. If a student donated last year, and had permission for that, he need not have another.

Last year, St. Michael's set a new county record as 154 pints of blood were collected. However, that record has since been broken. This year, our goal is at least 160 pints.....

Stork Calls Twice

Congratulations to both Prof. and Mrs. Joseph Lovering and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Aumand, on the birth of their sons. Prof. Lovering's third child was born during the latest snowstorm. "Pop" Paul celebrated the birth of his third by tallying 27 points that same night, as he led the Purple hoopsters to a victory over Arnold College, 87-68.

NAVY OFFERS OPPORTUNITY

Thirteen hundred college graduates alert for a good use for their special training and abilities are going through an intensive Navy officer training program at Newport, R.I., this winter.

The Navy's only Officer Candidate School is already turning out more officers than the Naval Academy and all the NROTC's combined.

Instruction is offered at the school for graduates with higher training in electronics, economics, architecture, and the various fields of engineering. Another course is offered in the "general line," sea-going skills.

College students may apply for the Officer Candidate School anytime within six months prior to graduation. Applications may be made to, or detailed information on the school received from, any Navy Recruiting Station or Office of Naval Officer Procurement.

PHIL. CLUB

ELECTS RUSHFORD

Donald Rushford of Burlington succeeds William Liberator as president of the Philosophy Club this semester. Liberator has been lost through graduation. Also John Lawler replaces Charles Burke, who also has graduated, as secretary of the club.



"Going to Class."

Ryan Hall is Featured

The gentlemen in Ryan Hall will be interested to know that their regal establishment is featured in the current issue of *Catholic Building and Maintenance*.

A copy of the article, complete with pictures, is on the bulletin board in the library.

The trade magazine is interested in all kinds of building techniques and featured the economy that was possible in spite of the decorative attractions of the new dormitory.

The picture of the typical student's room can be shown to your mother so she'll sense the true quality of your neatness.

ROTC BAND

The Air Force ROTC Band is looking for 20 more students. Instruments will be supplied to the students.

"WHA' HOPPEN"

There may not be gold in "them thar hills," but this week there was snow and plenty of it. From Miketown to the farm and from the ridge to Ryan we were buried in the stuff.

In fact in case anyone is interested, and they probably aren't it was the most we've had in one dose since '47.

In fact for once the day-hops even wished they were living on campus, (Ripley should hear this). And around this "home away from home," after plowing through snow up to your Adams apple all day, even supper tasted good. And anyone insane enough to leave a car laying around for more than ten minutes soon found it buried up to the aerial tip by the Buchan building and bus burying bureau.

Cars may be the sign of a higher living standard, but a few people around here are thinking of going back to the dog team after bettering the worlds walking race record of thirty hours from New York.

But don't worry fellow eskimos soon it will be gone and it will once more be gondola time around the beautifully paved and landscaped campus of St. Michael's College.

To half the California contingent on campus, the storm was quite an eye-ful. Jim "Cal" McKown came to St. Michael's and the Green Mountain state, figuring to get a lot of snow and a lot of skiing.

This week's storm, was the heaviest since the present senior class arrived in the fall of 1948.

Hit Movies of the Week

MANY NOTABLES IN ATTENDANCE

1. "Detective Story" Fr. D'Agostino
2. "Sorry Wrong Number" Biology Tests
3. "Aladdin and his Lamp" The Night Watchman
4. "12 O'clock High" ... Saturday Night in Burlington
5. "Ten Tall Men" St. Francis' Basketball Team
6. "The Champion" Fr. Hebert
7. "Too Young To Kiss" The Freshmen
8. "House of Seven Gables" Old Hall
9. "Arsenic and Old Lace" .. Doctors in the Infirmary
10. "Lassie Come Home" The meat in the Chow Hall

Phaedrus philosophized:

You will soon break the bow
if you keep it always stretched

Fables



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Only Three Games Left For SMC

Hilltopics: By FRAN HO BEN

The basketball campaign definitely heads down the home stretch this week. In fact, this is the last issue of the MICHAELMAN to appear during the regular season, since our next issue will be two weeks hence. Only three games remain on what was a 17-game list and with a Catholic tournament bid seeming very doubtful at this time, there might be a tendency among the student body to all but throw up their hands on another season.

SEASON STILL ALIVE

Such action would be a bit rash on their part. True the season has been a bitter pill to swallow, especially for us old-timers who can recount each supposed stepping-stone to national ranking that the Knights' two predecessors laid. For those who gloated over the 19-5 record of a year ago and faced the future with a sparkle in their eye, this has been a rude awakening, the bursting of a bubble so to speak. But let's not forget what should be our two main objectives in any sport: the winning of the State title, and cherished victories over Vermont. Both of these remain undecided.

Looking through the Knights' 7-up record (which, to twist a commercial a bit, neither "likes us" nor vice-versa), we note that the locals have a 2-1 State record and by our modest calculations places at the top in State play. U.V.M. is second with 3-2 and Norwich, unless things happen quickly, has finished its schedule of Vermont schools with a 2-2 showing.

Thus it is that our Purple-clad representatives can still salvage the most important interests at heart, a successful defense of the State title, and a squaring of accounts with U.V.M. Both can be attained come Thursday evening at the Auditorium. Fuzzy Evans and his Cata-mounts will be there, posing the most important problem for the Knights. The fact that Farley and Kateley will not be there makes it that much more difficult to be sure, for these two had been the Mr. Outside - Mr. Inside weapon for the Branonmen. But it would be unfair to overlook the last performances of a couple of guys named Paul: Aumand and Stapleton.

Aumand has suddenly caught fire with his magic hook-shot, hitting for 27 points in each of his last two outings. It could be that the absence of Kateley has given him the scoring state of mind, and if this be true the scoring punch will not be much weakened. Stapleton annually makes it his business to play sensationally against Vermont. He can be counted on to do his usual good job this time.

All in all the Knights may not be as bad off as many think. And for all those who would give up and reflect on brighter days, let it be said that the Knights still have enough left to give the Green and Gold just as much of a surprise as they gave us the last time.

NEWS WHILE IT IS NEWS (???)

Only other Vermont school besides S.M.C. to approve a proposed New England tourney was Middlebury. Vermont and Norwich, despite good records, declined ... Speaking of New England, the area may not have the best brand of basketball, but it comes pretty close to having the cleanest. Of the five top small schools in the nation for NOT committing personal fouls Maine ranks first with but 14 per game, Vermont is third, Norwich fourth ... Jimmy Farley has taken over the dubious honor of guiding the Intramurals, which includes refereeing most of the games. (Wow!) ... Dan Scott Midd's captain and center recently rated St. Mike's as the best all-around team met by the Panthers this year. Second: Trinity ... Imagine "Sonny" Dennis feels much the same way ... Johnny O'Brien Seattle U's whizzard who scored 45 against the Globes, has to take a back seat to his brother Ed in shooting percentage. Latest figures: 53.7 to 53.2 ... Willie Howard, U.V.M. flashback last fall, now taking a few courses at the Hilltop.

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Intramurals

By JOHN LOUGHRAN

Last Monday night Ryan 3, beat a classy St. James five in a close 26 to 21 game, to start the basketball intramural league off in its ninth week. "Tricky" Bob Fosket was high man for the winners with 14 points, while "Alby" Slafkovsky chucked 7 points for the losers.

On the second tilt of the evening, a determined Old Hall 4, quintet squeezed by St. Leo's with a 29 to 28 score. Corvall was high for the freshmen with 9 points while Jimmy Brown scored 10 points in a losing cause.

On Tuesday evening, the "Pajama Five," from St. James 2, rolled up an impressive score to beat Old Hall 2, by 34 to 20. Paul "Mouse" Landry tallied 12 points for the winners while Sheehan was high with 8 points for the losers.

O. H. 3 GETS 7TH WIN

Ryan Hall 1, rolled over the College Parkway quintet by a 55 to 22 score. Ryan Hall 1, scored at will throughout the game and high scorer Jim McDonald added 14 points to his already impressive total of 82 points for the winners. Watson chucked 11 points in the losing cause.

Wednesday afternoon, Old Hall 3, added another victim to its already impressive win skein by downing the Winooski Off-Campus five 35 to 28. Brennan and Duggen, shared the scoring honors for the winners with 8 points each, while C. O'Brien tallied 12 points for the Off-Campus quintet.

St. William's led by "Flasky" Jack Kendrick beat a hard driving club from St. John's by a 40 to 33 score. Jackie was impressive throughout the game with his frequent ball stealing and driving lay-ups and was high scorer with 13 points while Reilly and O'Sullivan shared the scoring honors with 11 points each for the losers.

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Knights Meet Tufts Mon., Vermont Thurs.

By BILL WIGMORE

Dropped to the .500 mark for the second time this season by the 75-64 loss to St. Anselm's in their last outing, the Purple Knights have but three remaining games, all away, to improve their record and at the same time close the season. Wins over Tufts and Vermont would be of prime value to the personal interests of the locals, before the windup game at Champlain.

SMC Favors NE Tourney In March

St. Michael's was among six New England colleges interested in sponsoring the proposed second annual basketball tournament for the New England area, according to a release earlier this week. The Knights however are in the minority group who favor the tourney, since more than half of the associated schools took a negative attitude towards it.

Only Colby, Maine, Rhode Island St., Trinity, and Tufts were also willing to donate their facilities. The latter school acted as host a year ago when Boston College took the title.

MIDD APPROVES

These announcements were made known by Mr. Ivan Geiger, secretary-treasurer of the New England College Athletic Association, and President of MIT. Mr. Geiger explained that schedule commitments made it impossible for Holy Cross, the area's top ranking team, and some of the larger institutions to take part. However, the refusal of Connecticut, who represented NE in the NCAA tournament last year, and MIT itself went unexplained.

Among the list of those approving the continuation of the post-season event were, AIC, Bates, Babson Tech, Boston College, Boston U., Bowdoin, Northeastern, Middlebury, Providence, St. Anselm's and Springfield.

Representatives of these schools are expected to meet in the near future to decide on continuation of present plans. At the moment tourney dates have been set at March 10, 11 and 15.

Monday night's fray with Tufts at the Boston Garden, a preliminary game to the Holy Cross-St. John's contest, will be the Knights' last chance this season to break that "Boston-area jinx." They have lost all four of the Boston games of the past few years, as well as several others in central and Eastern Mass.

TUFTS WON LAST YEAR.

Coach Barry Branon hoping to break the jinx, will go along with the starting five of, George Barry, Paul Aumand, Paul Stapleton, Jackie Polworth and Bob Duffy.

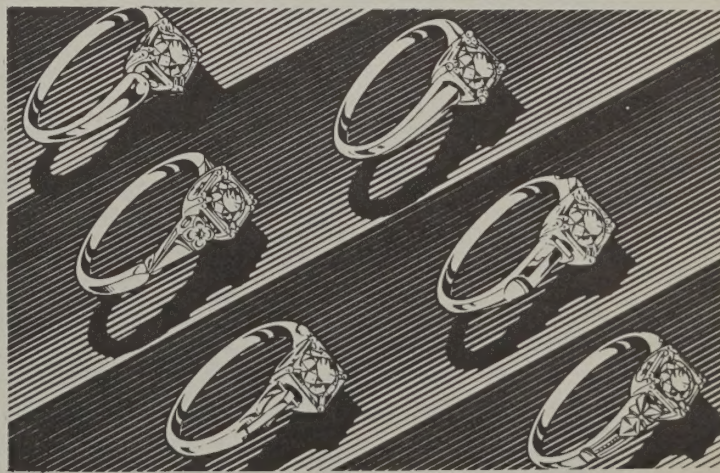
Tufts whose record (5-9) is not so impressive as in other years, has met some strong opponents along the way. And the familiarity with the spacious Garden surroundings will be an added advantage for the Jumbos. Last year the Knights lost a fourteen point lead in the closing minutes and were beaten 62-59.

KNIGHTS VS UVM

The State of Vermont Title will beat stake in the Vermont return-go. St. Michael's has a 2-1 State record, while UVM claims 3-2, including the 81-73 win over the Purple. A victory for either side would just about insure it of the championship.

The big guns for the Branonmen to stop, of course, are center Nat Campana, guard Earl Steinman, and forward Al Maliverni, the Cats three top scorers. But since substitutes played so important a role in the first game all of the Cats will bear close watching.

The season's finale against Champlain at Plattsburg, N.Y., will find the Blue Jays a much tougher opponent than earlier. The home court always seems to do things for them and the early 68-46 victory of St. Mike's will be difficult to repeat.



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It's very simple, all that is needed is an envelope with a cancelled stamp in the corner. Just tear that stamp off and send it to the Mission Crusade Stamp Bureau, St. Michael's College, by Fourth Class Mail.

In the letter, sent by Bill Doyle, president of the S.M. Mission Crusade and chairman of the N.F.C.C.S. Mission Commission, it was pointed out that all stamps that are received are sold to dealers and collectors, and all proceeds are then sent to the various mission houses in the south.

All stamps will be accepted.



"I wonder if this has anything to do with the letter I got about the 'Cigar Box' this morning,"

PLAYERS Continued

Miss Darragh plays Agnes in the Moliere farce while Miss Shane and Miss Barnett are servants.

As Agnes, Miss Darragh is the innocent young ward of the scheming Arnolphe, played by J. Robert Dietz, leading man when the company was the resident stock company all last summer at St. Michael's College Playhouse. A native of Pittsburgh, Pa., Miss

NOT LONG FOR THIS WORLD

By Chris Carey

What's happened to those lovely curls
That used to fall to shoulder length?
Why do so many pretty girls
Cast off this aid to beauty's strength?
When in the course of many weeks
They're back again for all to see,
The soul-less scissors then she seeks
And calls it just a "cutting spree."
That soft extension of her face,
So freely given, is no more;
What held her head in strange embrace
Now falls forgotten to the floor.
This shining femininity
Is just a time-consuming fuss?
Oh girls, a man's world it may be,
But please don't try to look like us.

Darragh is remembered in the Burlington area and also at the Merrimack Playhouse in Concord, N. H., for her work in "Second Threshold," "The Skin of Our Teeth" and "See How They Run."

The cast of 15 is touring the country in a 32,000 mile trip from Burlington to Texas, their third swing through the country. They are also giving "Twelfth Night" in other locations. After they finish up this tour, a six week tour in Japan is in the offing.

Walter Kerr, recently named drama critic for the New York Herald-Tribune and author of "Touch and Go" directed the company, Tom Hitchell, assistant director, travels with the company.

Miss Shane, from Milwaukee, Wisc. plays Georgette. Miss Barnett, from South Dakota, is remembered also for her comedy roles this past summer at the college playhouse. The play is being offered by the Knights and Knaves.



Moiya Darragh, Star of "School for Wives."

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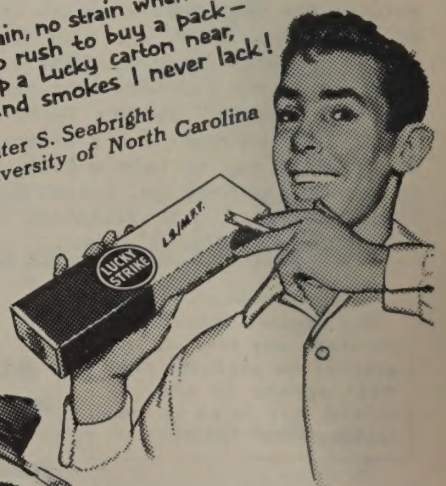
Be Happy- GO LUCKY!

LUCKIES TASTE BETTER!

The difference between "just smoking" and really *enjoying* your smoke is the *taste* of a cigarette. You can *taste* the difference in the smoother, mellower, more enjoyable taste of a Lucky... for two important reasons. First, L.S./M.F.T.—Lucky Strike *means* fine tobacco... fine, mild tobacco that tastes better. Second, Luckies are *made to taste better*... proved best-made of all five principal brands. So reach for a Lucky. Enjoy the cigarette that *tastes better!* Be Happy—Go Lucky! Buy a carton today!

No pain, no strain when smokes are low.
No rush to buy a pack—
I keep a Lucky carton near,
And smokes I never lack!

Hunter S. Seabright
University of North Carolina



I have to study hard each day;
I'm not a brain you see—
But something that I quickly learned
Was L.S./M.F.T.

Ruth Wolff
Smith College

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Means Fine Tobacco



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